

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Bradley J. Howard

Filed: November 6, 2003

For: PROCESS FOR USING PHOTO-DEFINABLE LAYERS IN THE  
MANUFACTURE OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES AND  
RESULTING STRUCTURES OF SAME

Serial No.: 10/702,238

Group Art Unit: 1752

Examiner: Lee, Sin J

Atty Dkt: 97-0008.02

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.8, I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date below:

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 14, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted as a Response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004. A one-month extension of time is concurrently filed with this Response.

Should any fees under 37 CFR 1.16-1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, including any additional fee for an extension of time, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from O'Keefe, Egan & Peterman Deposit Account No. 10-1205/MTIP:003D2.

Please amend the application as follows.